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FROM AMBASSADOR LEWIS TO USHRC REP MIZVINSKY

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: IS, HUM
SUBJECT: VISIT TO ISRAEL

REFS: A) STATE 155007, B) STATE 153769, C) TEL AVIV 7703

1. I STRONGLY ENDORSE YOUR IDEA OF INCLUDING A VISIT TO
ISRAEL IN YOUR PROPOSED MIDDLE EAST SWING.
AS BOTH AN INFORMATION GATHERING EFFORT AND AS A SIGNAL TO THE
GOI OF OUR CONTINUING HUMAN RIGHTS-RELATED CONCERNS YOUR VISIT
COULD BE OF CONSIDERABLE VALUE.

2. WE WILL BE WORKING UP FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION A PROGRAM
FOR YOUR VISIT.
HOW WOULD THE WEEK OF JULY 10 FIT INTO YOUR SCHEDULE?
I WANT TO LEAVE A FEW DAYS FREE FOLLOWING THE VICE
PRESIDENT'S TRIP FOR FOLLOW-UP AND FOR OTHER ACTIVITIES
RELATING TO THE PEACE INITIATIVE. THUS THAT WOULD BE
THE EARLIEST PERIOD I COULD GIVE THE KIND OF PERSONAL
ATTENTION TO YOUR VISIT THAT IT DEMANDS.

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3. NEEDLESS TO ADD, I AM DELIGHTED AT THE PROSPECT
OF HAVING YOU WITH US. BEST REGARDS.
LEWIS

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